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A managed detection and response service
built by attackers for defenders

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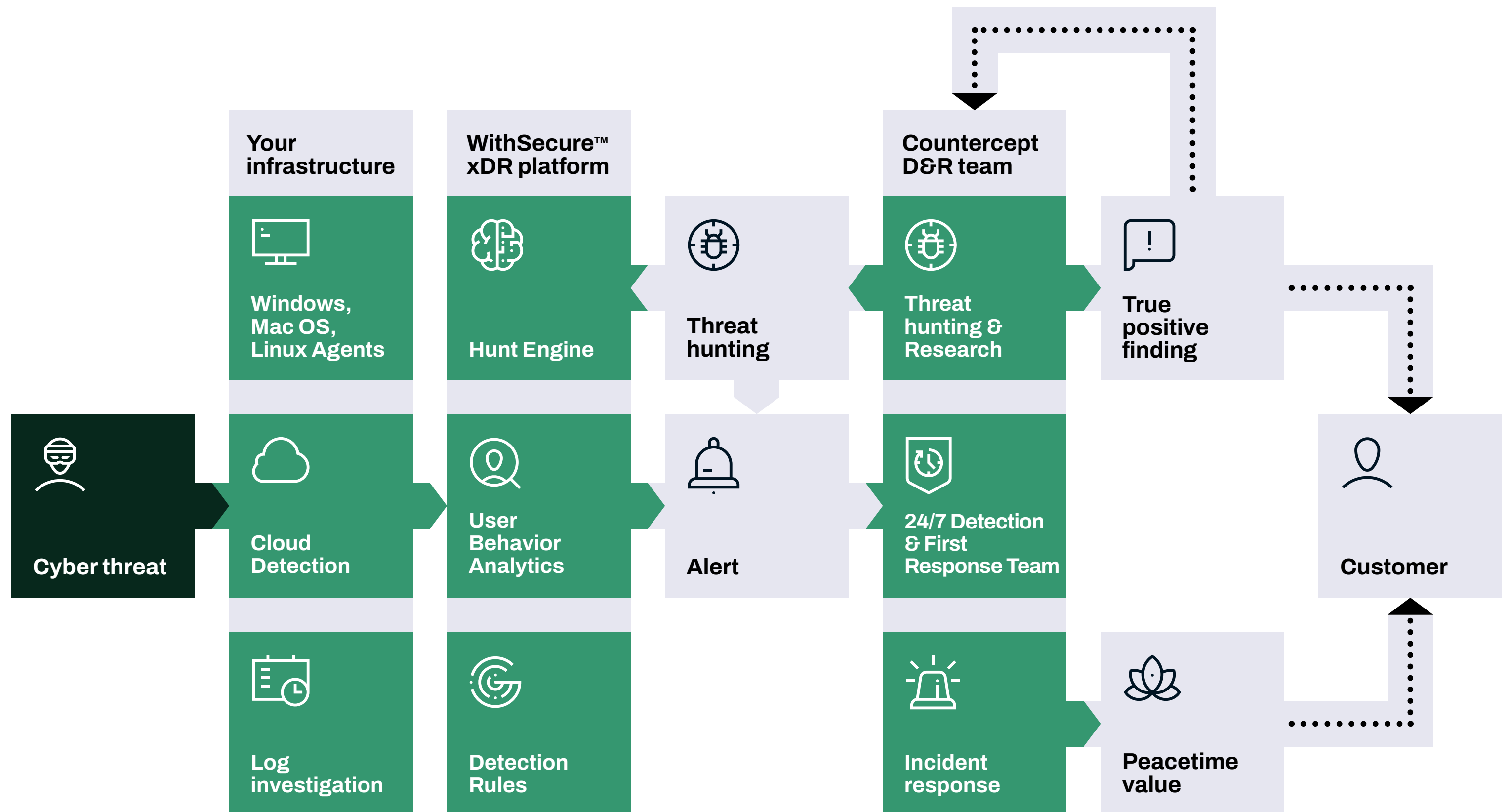
WithSecure™ Countercept is an MDR service built by attackers for defenders, delivered in partnership with clients' IT Security teams, by threat hunters who form a 'battle-fit' Detection and Response Team (DRT).

Countercept runs on proprietary WithSecure™ technology, which gives us full control of critical security tasks and the flexibility to rapidly develop new capability, independent of third-party technology.

Why MDR

Cybersecurity now matters. Everyone is a target, but only a wild-eyed optimist could claim that we are winning the cybersecurity battle. Traditional controls are partially effective. Networks encompass cloud environments, which makes them harder to defend. A Detection and Response (D&R) capability is needed to deal with threats that get through traditional controls, but technology alone is not enough.

Effective D&R depends on a skilled threat hunting team, proven methods and a purpose-built technology platform - in that order - yet, these are hard to build and maintain. Gartner estimates that 50% of companies will adopt Managed Detection and Response (MDR) services by 2025.



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Excellent visibility of user, endpoint, cloud and network activity is provided by our proprietary Endpoint Detection & Response (EDR) agent and log collectors, which is fed into our xDR detection platform.

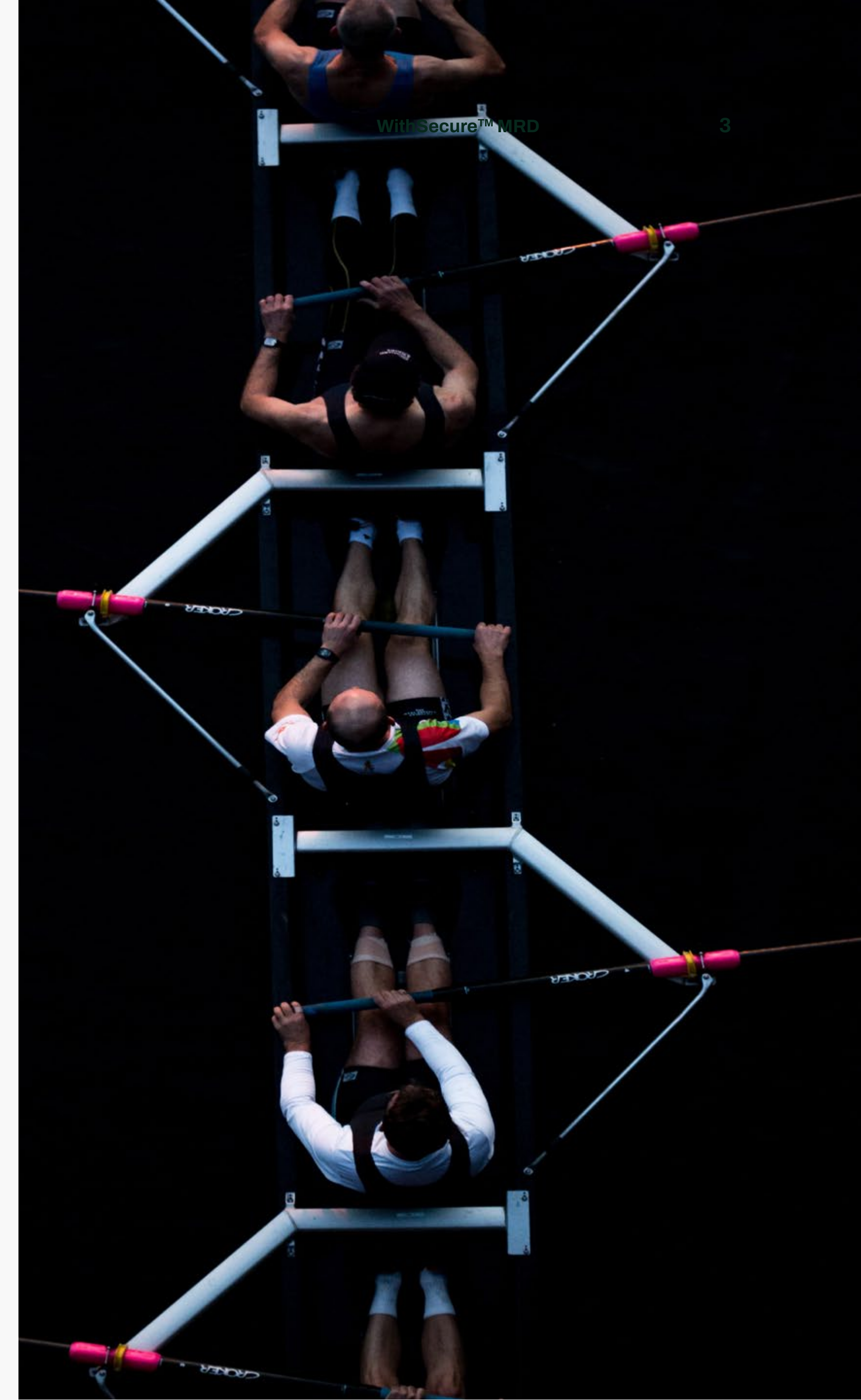
WithSecure™ threat hunters spend up to 50% of their time researching new and evolving tools and techniques used by threat actors. Every alert is investigated by the DRT who will use its knowledge and experience to decide what, if any, action to take.

Countercept's 24/7 First Response service contains and remediates incidents before they have a chance to impact the business. Using our proven First Response methodology enables threat hunters respond to incidents, at the right time and in the right way, with less than 1% of incidents to date requiring escalation to WithSecure™ Incident Response.

Countercept MDR is delivered to you in partnership with your own information security and IT experts. We act as an extension to your in-house teams, handling queries and investigation requests, delivering peacetime value in the form of security insights to help you improve your security posture, and controlling your IT environment on your behalf.

Three benefits characterize the Countercept MDR service:

1. **TRUE PARTNERSHIP.** We act as an extension of your security team, giving you unmetered access to our experts, sharing our threat hunting expertise, addressing queries and enabling your teams to develop.
2. **EFFECTIVE D&R.** Countercept is a threat-driven service designed to be effective in the 'grey area' in which legitimate activity masks malicious intentions. We respond to incidents in minutes and resolve most of them within hours.
3. **PEACETIME VALUE.** Countercept provides security insights that support continuous security posture improvement. We help you to improve your security and meet compliance obligations.





We offer two services: Countercept Core and Plus. Both provide the same research-led, proactive D&R capability delivered by experienced threat hunters. Customers that appreciate a more active partnership and our peacetime value, choose Countercept Plus.

CAPABILITY	FEATURE	CORE	PLUS
Detection & Response	24/7 Detection & Investigation	✓	✓
	24/7 First Response	✓	✓
	Incident Response Days	Inclusive	Inclusive
	DRT Requests	✓	✓
	Threat Hunting	✓	✓
	Cloud Detection for O365	Optional	Optional
	Log Investigation	Optional	Optional
Peacetime Value	Security Insights	✓	✓
	Security Assessments		✓
	Threat Intelligence Reports & Webinars	✓	✓
	Access to Raw Data	✓	✓
True Partnership	Customer Experience	Co-ordinator	Named Manager
	Service Reviews	Annual	Quarterly
	Service Reporting	On-Demand	Executive Reports
	Countercept Portal	✓	✓

Why WithSecure™

Choosing a partner is a major decision. There are over 3,500 cyber security companies ~150 of whom claim to offer MDR services. How do you decide? We believe that you should choose a partner first, then focus on the technical solution. The outcomes we deliver are:

- 1. PROTECTION FROM ADVANCED THREATS, ACCESS TO EXPERTISE AND PREDICTABLE COSTS.** To date, none of our customers have been breached whilst we have protected them.
- 2. LONG-TERM PARTNER COMMITMENT.** We have been guiding customers through turbulent cyber security waters, for well over 30 years.

But do not take our word for it, talk to one of our customers to find out how we have enabled them to achieve their business goals with security and peace-of-mind.

Who We Are

WithSecure™ is cyber security's reliable partner. IT service providers, MSSPs and businesses along with the largest financial institutions, manufacturers, and thousands of the world's most advanced communications and technology providers trust us for outcome-based cyber security that protects and enables their operations. Our AI-driven protection secures endpoints and cloud collaboration, and our intelligent detection & response is powered by experts who identify business risks by proactively hunting for threats and confronting live attacks. Our consultants partner with enterprises and tech challengers to build resilience through evidence-based security advice. With more than 30 years of experience in building technology that meets business objectives, we've built our portfolio to grow with our partners through flexible commercial models.

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